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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE:
DISAPPEARANCE OF MAURICIO ALBERTO POLTARACK (511/78/8)

REF: UNCLAS STATE 209296

1. IN RESPONSE TO YOUR REQUEST OF AUGUST 1978 REGARDING THE DISAPPEARANCE OF MARUICIO ALBERTO POLTARAK, THE FOREIGN OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS HAS INFORMED US THAT THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT HAS NO RECORD OF THE DETENTION OF MARUICIO POLTARAK, NOR ANY INFORMATION REGARDING HIS WHEREABOUTS.

3. UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN THIS CASE HAS BEEN COMMUNICATED TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE. WE WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR THIS CASE AND WILL INFORM YOU OF ANY FURTHER DEVELOPMENT.

4. SINCERELY OURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.

5. FOR DEPARTMENT: PLEASE INFORM ROSENTHAL OF AGL OF FOWS

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